



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Takatoshi TSUCHIYA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2853

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Examiner:

L. MARTIN

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For:

SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR VENT PATH LEAKAGE PREVENTION

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the July 28, 2006 Office Action and the October 12 personal interview, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.